

Clarification to September 24, 2016 Application Deadline

As a requirement of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA), providers must have their enrollment revalidated by state Medicaid programs by September 24, 2016. In accordance with PPACA and upon the direction of the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC), TMHP will accept completed provider revalidation applications received by September 24, 2016. There will be no immediate disenrollment actions taken on providers meeting this submission date. Providers must continue to respond to all application deficiencies in a timely manner to remain enrolled.

The disenrollment process will begin shortly after September 24, 2016; however, a final disenrollment date has not yet been determined. Final disenrollment may occur as early as November 2016. Providers that do not meet the submission deadline should inform their Medicaid patients to begin seeking a new provider.

MCOs should continue to pay claims until HHSC has issued a termination date for all providers who did not meet the application deadline. HHSC will provide at least 30 days advance notice for the disenrollment of these providers.

Please contact Amanda Hudgens at Amanda.hudgens@hhsc.state.tx.us with any questions.